

**Glenda Wiles**

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Hello, I am not much of a letter writer but I wanted to comment on the zoning that is taking place in Ravalli County. I heard many people say that we must make is a nice living area for all concerned. If the current owners will not be able to have animals on their land, what will the new people coming in sacrifice? I am seeing more and more this valley turn into a retirement area. Don't get me wrong, retiring in the Bitterroot is a wonderful thing. I do also think that this is Montana. What do you think of when you think of Montana? I think of beauty and agriculture. Without it, you have nothing. Please think long and hard about the affects this will have on our community and the children to come that want to carry on family farm traditions. As for any form of permit, people around here sacrifice a lot in order to live in this valley. We barely can get by with wages and gas prices the way they are. How will we pay for a permit? I see this as pushing out the everyday Joe to make room for the elite.

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